

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

July 6, 2000

Sherry Hessenthaler, Treasurer
Bell Atlantic Corporation Political
Action Committee
1717 Arch Street, 47th Floor S
Philadelphia, PA 19103

Identification Number:

C00186288

Reference:

Amended April Quarterly Report (1/1/00-3/31/00), dated 4/14/00

Dear Ms. Hessenthaler:

On June 14, 2000, you were notified that a review of the above-referenced report(s) raised questions as to specific contributions and/or expenditures, and the reporting of certain information required by the Federal Election Campaign Act.

Your June 26, 2000, response is incomplete because you have not provided all the requested information. For this response to be considered adequate, the following information is still required.

-Please provide the date(s) on which you notified the recipient committees, in writing, of the redesignation of the contributions in question.

An adequate response must be received at the Commission by July 26, 2000. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered. Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

If you should have any questions related to this matter, please contact Angel Williamson on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to

reach the Reports Analysis Division) or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

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Assistant Staff Director

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